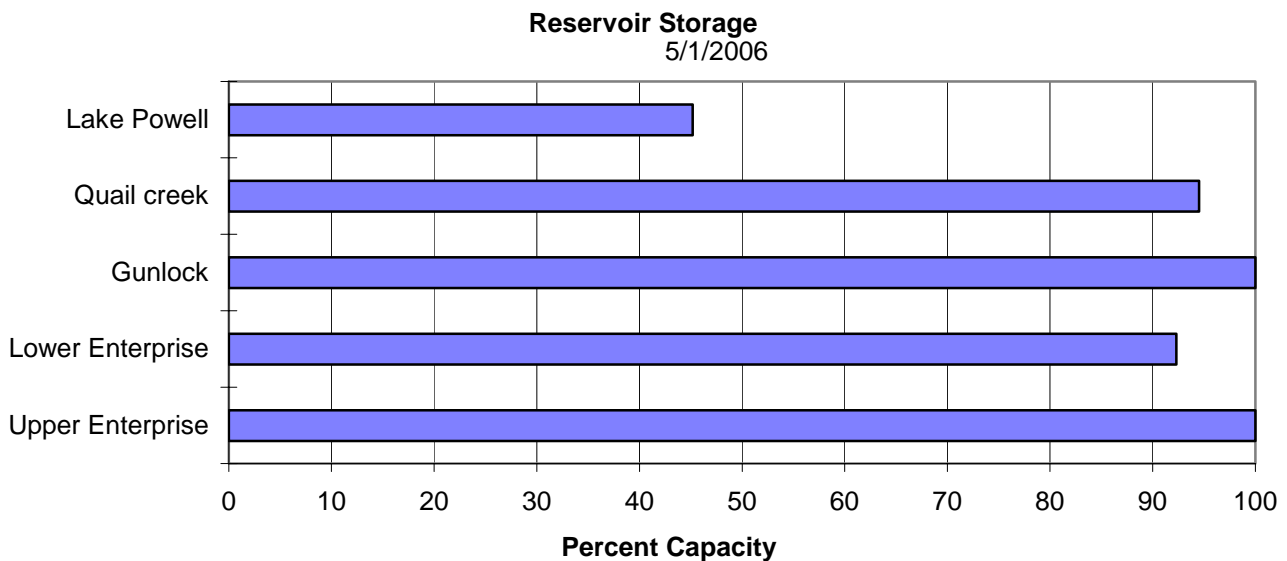
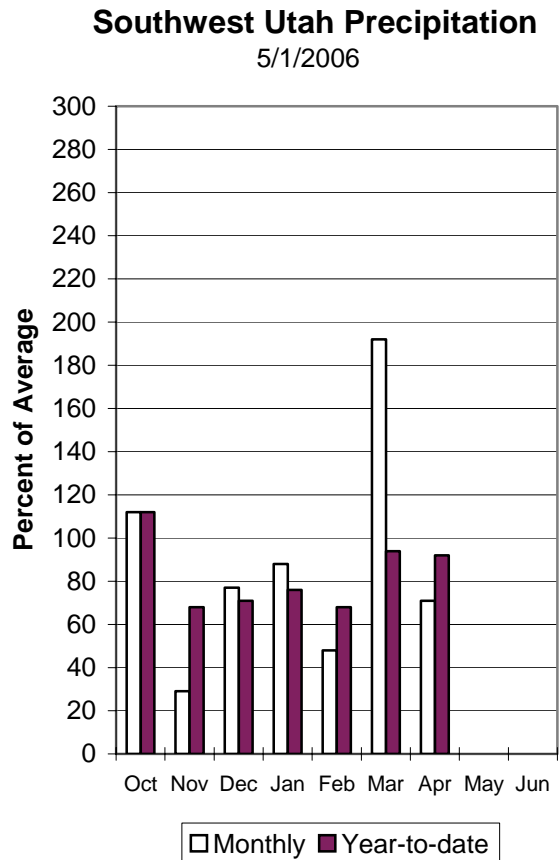
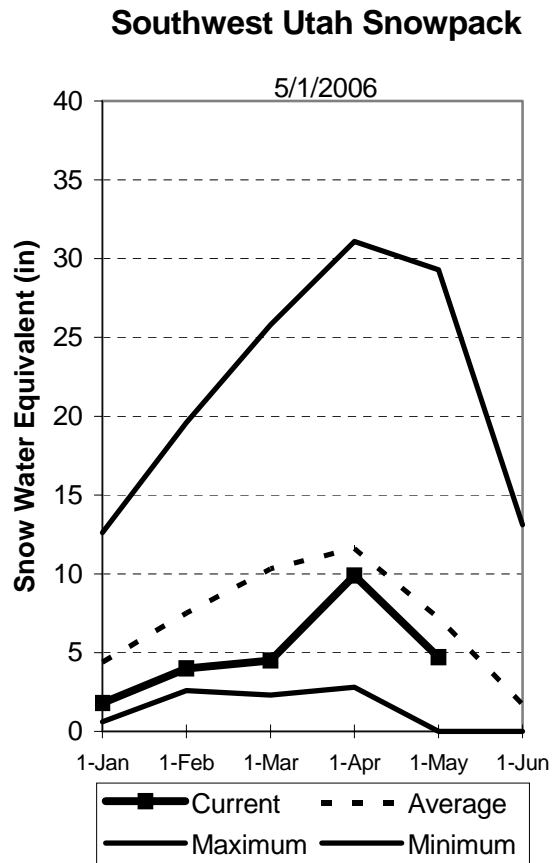


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Snowpacks in this region are much below normal at 65% of average, about 22% of last year. Individual sites range from 0% to 99% of average. Precipitation was below normal during April at 74% of average, bringing the seasonal accumulation (Oct-Apr) to 92% of normal. Snow melt in April was 18% above average with about half of sites now melted out. Soil moisture estimates in runoff producing areas are at 60% of saturation in the upper 2 feet of soil compared to 69% last year and up 10% from last month. Forecast streamflows range from 62% to 86% of average. Reservoir storage is at 93% of capacity, 4% less than last year. The Surface Water Supply Index is at 70%, indicating above normal water availability, due to high reservoir storage.



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Streamflow Forecasts - May 1, 2006

		<<===== Drier ===== Future Conditions ===== Wetter =====>>						
Forecast Point	Forecast Period	=====		Chance Of Exceeding *		=====		30-Yr Avg. (1000AF)
		90% (1000AF)	70% (1000AF)	50% (1000AF)	(% AVG.)	30% (1000AF)	10% (1000AF)	
Lake Powell Inflow (2)	APR-JUL	5390	6190	6800	86	7370	8250	7930
	APR-JUL	4350	5210	5790	83	6370	7230	6940
Virgin River at Virgin	APR-JUL	40	44	47	73	51	56	64
	MAY-JUL	15.5	19.7	23	55	26	32	42
Virgin River near Hurricane	APR-JUL	37	43	49	71	55	66	69
	MAY-JUL	13.3	20	26	57	32	43	46
Santa Clara River nr Pine Valley	APR-JUL	2.5	3.0	3.4	62	3.8	4.5	5.5
	MAY-JUL	1.0	1.5	1.9	42	2.3	3.0	4.5
Coal Creek nr Cedar City	APR-JUL	13.7	15.4	16.5	86	17.7	19.5	19.3
	MAY-JUL	7.3	9.4	11.1	70	12.9	15.8	15.9

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Reservoir Storage (1000 AF) - End of April

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Watershed Snowpack Analysis - May 1, 2006

Reservoir	Usable Capacity	*** Usable Storage ***			Watershed	Number of Data Sites	This Year as % of =====	
		This Year	Last Year	Avg			Last Yr	Average
GUNLOCK	10.4	10.4	10.4	4.3	VIRGIN RIVER	5	23	80
LAKE POWELL	24322.0	10993.0	8569.0	---	PAROWAN	2	27	84
QUAIL CREEK	40.0	37.8	38.8	31.6	ENTERPRISE TO NEW HARMONY	2	0	0
UPPER ENTERPRISE	10.0	10.0	10.0	---	COAL CREEK	2	26	85
LOWER ENTERPRISE	2.6	2.4	2.6	115.5	ESCALANTE RIVER	2	10	21
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* 90%, 70%, 50%, 30%, and 10% chances of exceeding are the probabilities that the actual volume will exceed the volumes in the table.

The average is computed for the 1971-2000 base period.

- (1) - The values listed under the 10% and 90% Chance of Exceeding are actually 5% and 95% exceedance levels.
(2) - The value is natural volume - actual volume may be affected by upstream water management.